## OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

City of Eugene, Oregon

## **PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS: Transgender Day of Remembrance honors the lives that were lost in the past year

to anti-transgender violence, violence born of ignorance and prejudice; and

WHEREAS: The federal government has recognized Transgender Day of Remembrance on

the twentieth day of November; and

WHEREAS: Transgender and gender diverse people contribute greatly to our community's rich

diversity and prosperity; and

WHEREAS: The City of Eugene has a long-standing tradition of upholding the dignity of all

individuals, supporting legal equality and fair treatment for all citizens, and ensuring that acts of neglect and violence toward any segment of the population

will not be tolerated; and

WHEREAS: The City of Eugene reaffirms the community's commitment to ensuring diversity,

social justice, equity and mutual respect throughout our community; and

WHEREAS: The City of Eugene proudly states that we support our transgender and gender

diverse community members.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Lucy Vinis, Mayor of the City of Eugene, Oregon, do hereby proclaim November 20, 2022 to be

## "Transgender Day of Remembrance"

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Mayor Lucy Vinis
City of Eugene
November 20, 2022

in Eugene, Oregon, and encourage all community members to join in this special observance, work toward eliminating discrimination on all levels, and promote understanding.